LESSON 1

PROCESSING PRS

• IDENTIFY OMISSIONS / DEFICIENCIES

Advise RAs and explain what is needed

Accept PR and establish Contract File

Control Data

PR REVIEW CHECKLIST	OMISSIONS / DEFICIENCIES
Approvals / Reviews	
Funding	
Quantity	
Description	
Packaging / Marking	
Inspection / Acceptance	
Delivery	
Contract Admin.	
Sp. Provisions / Clauses	
Tech. Eval. Factors	
Sources	
Acquisition Plan	
SIGNATURE	DATE

Identify Omissions / Deficiencies

• ADVISE RAs and EXPLAIN WHAT IS NEEDED

Accept PR and establish Contract File

Control Data

Identify Omissions / Deficiencies

Advise RA and explain what is needed

• ACCEPT PR AND ESTABLISH CONTRACT FILE

Control Data

Identify Omissions / Deficiencies

Advise RA and explain what is needed

Accept PR and establish Contract File

CONTROL DATA

LESSON 2

FUNDING

• IDENTIFY TYPE OF FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE

Identify the date funds must be obligated

Return PR if correction needed

Determine if fund amount is realistic

Identify type of funds made available

• IDENTIFY DATE FUNDS MUST BE OBLIGATED

Return PR if correction needed Determine if fund amount is realistic

Identify type of funds made available

Identify the date funds must be obligated

• RETURN PR IF CORRECTION NEEDED

Determine if fund amount is realistic

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Identify type of funds made available

Identify the date funds must be obligated

Return PR if correction needed

• DETERMINE IF FUND AMOUNT IS REALISTIC

LESSON 3

MARKET RESEARCH

• RESEARCH ACQUISITION HISTORIES

Identify data from published sources

Identify data from other people

Compile market data

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LIST OF COMPANIES

RESOURCES	MARK
Thomas Registers	
Yellow Pages	
Producer Price Index	
Procurement Directories	
Monthly Labor Review	
Lists of Items of a Similar Nature	
Consumer Price Index	
Product Brochures / Promotional Literature	

MARKET PRICE TRENDS

RESOURCES	MARK
Thomas Registers	
Yellow Pages	
Producer Price Index	
Census Statistics	
Commodity Indices	
BOA	
Consumer Price Index	
Informational Requests for Quotations	
Product Brochures / Promotional Literature	
Catalogs of Manufacturers, Distributors, etc	

PRODUCT DESCRIPTIONS

RESOURCES	MARK
Thomas Registers	
Yellow Pages	
Vendor File	
Mandatory and Optional Schedules	
Commodity Indices	
BOA	
Procurement Directories	
Informational Requests for Quotations	
Product Brochures / Promotional Literature	
Catalogs of Manufacturers, Distributors, etc	
GSA Federal Supply Schedules	
Federal Procurement Data Center	

RESOURCES	MARK
CBD	
Trade Journals	
Vendor File	
Mandatory and Optional Schedules	
Commodity Indices / CPI, PPI	
BOA	
Procurement Directories	
Informational Requests for Quotations	
Product Brochures / Promotional Literature	
Catalogs of Manufacturers, Distributors, etc	
GSA Federal Supply Schedules	
Federal Procurement Data Center	

Research acquisition histories

• IDENTIFY DATA FROM PUBLISHED SOURCES

Identify data from other people Compile market data

Research acquisition histories
Identify data from published
sources

• IDENTIFY DATA FROM OTHER PEOPLE

Compile market data

Research acquisition histories
Identify data from published
sources

Identify data from other people

• COMPILE MARKET DATA

LESSON 4

SPECIFICATIONS &

SOWS

REVIEW MARKET RESEARCH

Determine if FEDSPEC or MILSPEC is applicable

Identify problems in using as is

Critique purchase description

Critique related elements of PR

Advise RA, obtain justifications, & decide on referencing specs. vo

Review market research

• DETERMINE IF FEDSPEC OR MILSPEC IS APPLICABLE

Identify problems in using as is Critique purchase description Critique related elements of PR Advise RA, obtain justifications, & decide on referencing specs.

Review market research

Determine if FEDSPEC or MILSPEC is applicable

ID. PROBLEMS IN USING AS IS

Critique purchase description

Critique related elements of PR

Advise RA, obtain justifications, & decide on referencing specs.

Review market research

Determine if FEDSPEC or MILSPEC is applicable

Identify problems in using as is

CRITIQUE PURCH. DESCRIP.

Critique related elements of PR

Advise RA, obtain justifications, & decide on referencing specs.

Review market research

Determine if FEDSPEC or MILSPEC is applicable

Identify problems in using as is

Critique purchase description

CRITIQUE ELEMENTS OF PR

Advise RA, obtain justifications, & decide on referencing specs.

Review market research

Determine if FEDSPEC or MILSPEC is applicable

Identify problems in using as is

Critique purchase description

Critique related elements of PR

• ADVISE RA, OBTAIN JUST., & DECIDE ON REF. SPECS.

REVIEW MARKET RESEARCH

Critique proposed SOW

Critique related elements of PR

Advise RA and obtain changes

Select and implement techniques to test and improve the SOW

Review market research

CRITIQUE PROPOSED SOW

Critique related elements of PR

Advise RA and obtain changes

Select and implement techniques to test and improve the SOW

Review market research Critique proposed SOW

CRITIQUE ELEMENTS OF PR

Advise RA and obtain changes

Select and implement techniques to test and improve the SOW

Review market research
Critique proposed SOW
Critique related elements of PR

 ADVISE RA AND OBTAIN CHANGES

Select and implement techniques to test and improve the SOW

Review market research

Critique proposed SOW

Critique related elements of PR

Advise RA and obtain changes

• SELECT & IMPLEMENT TECH.
TO TEST AND IMPROVE SOW

Review market research

Critique proposed SOW

Critique related elements of PR

Advise RA and obtain changes

Select and implement techniques to test and improve the SOW

OBTAIN FINAL SOW

LESSON 5

SERVICES



WAGE DETERMINATIONS

SERVICES

• IDENTIFY REQUIREMENT FOR SERVICES

Determine if services are personal or nonpersonal

Determine if services are advisory and assistance

SERVICES

Identify requirement for services

• DETERMINE IF SERVICES ARE PERSONAL OR NONPERSONAL

Determine if services are advisory and assistance

SERVICES

Identify requirement for services

Determine if services are personal or nonpersonal

• DETERMINE IF SERVICES ARE ADVISORY AND ASSISTANCE

DETERMINE IF SCA APPLIES

Notify interested parties under CBA

Obtain wage determination

Review wage determination and incorporate into solicitation

Determine if SCA applies

NOTIFY INTERESTED PARTIES UNDER CBA

Obtain wage determination

Review wage determination and incorporate into solicitation

Determine if SCA applies

Notify interested parties under CBA

 OBTAIN WAGE DETERMINATION

Review wage determination and incorporate into solicitation

Determine if SCA applies

Notify interested parties under CBA

Obtain wage determination

• REVIEW WAGE DETERMIN-ATION & INCORPORATE INTO SOLICITATION

Determine if SCA applies

Notify interested parties under CBA

Obtain wage determination

Review wage determination and incorporate into solicitation

 UPDATE WAGE DETERMINATION

FACTORS FOR PERSONAL SERVICES

- 1. Performance on site.
- 2. Principle tools and equipment furnished by the Government.
- 3. Services are in furtherance of assigned function or mission.
- 4. Civil service personnel are performing comparable services.
- 5. Service will be needed beyond one year.
- 6. Requires Government direction, directly or indirectly.

FACTORS FOR ADVISORY/ASSISTANCE SERVICES

- 1. Obtain outside points of view to avoid too limited judgement on critical issues.
- 2. Obtain advice regarding developments in industry, university, foundation research.
- 3. Obtain opinions, special knowledge, or skills of noted experts.
- 4. Enhance understanding of, and develop alternative solutions to complex issues.
- 5. Support and improve operation of organizations.
- 6. Ensure more efficient or effective operation of managerial or hardware systems.

PROHIBITIONS AGAINST ADV. /ASST. SERVICES

- 1. Perform work of a policy, decision making, or managerial nature which is the direct responsibility of agency officials.
- 2. Bypass or undermine personnel ceiling, pay limitations, or competitive employment procedures.
- 3. Contract for, on a preferential basis, former Government employees.
- 4. Specifically aid in influencing or enacting legislation.
- 5. Obtain professional or technical advice which is readily available within the agency or another Federal agency.

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STEPS TO REQUEST WAGE DET.

- 1. Identify Skill Categories.
- 2. Estimate Number in each Skill Class.
- 3. Identify Comparable Rates for Government.
- 4. Obtain Copy of Bargaining Agreement.
- 5. Identify Places of Performance.
- 6. Complete SF 98 and 98A.

REQUIREMENTS FOR:
Office Products
Study on Management Efficiency
On Site Report Typing
Preaward Survey
Payroll
Hair Care
Cellular phone
Engineering Training Materials
Dry Cleaning
Security Guard
Housekeeping
Maps
Computer Software
ADP Telecommunications
Operation of Gift Shop VG 5-2

LESSON 6

SOURCE LISTS

• CHECK REQUIRED SOURCE

Determine if Required Source Meets the Need

Compare Price with Open Market

Place Order with Required Source

Check Required Source

• DETERMINE IF REQUIRED SOURCE MEETS THE NEED

Compare Price with Open Market

Place Order with Required Source

Check Required Source

Determine if Required Source Meets the Need

• COMPARE PRICE WITH OPEN MARKET

Place Order with Required Source

Check Required Source

Determine if Required Source Meets the Need

Compare Price with Open Market

• PLACE ORDER WITH REQUIRED SOURCE

• REVIEW ACQUISITION HISTORY

Prepare Source List

Purge Source List

Rotate Source List

Review Acquisition History

PREPARE SOURCE LIST

Purge Source List

Rotate Source List

Review Acquisition History
Prepare Source List

PURGE SOURCE LIST

Rotate Source List

Review Acquisition History
Prepare Source List
Purge Source List

ROTATE SOURCE LIST

Review Acquisition History

Prepare Source List

Purge Source List

Rotate Source List

• UPDATE SOURCE LIST

QUALIFIED LISTS

Verify Applicability

Forward Requests for Information

Screen Offers against Qualified List

Report Conditions for Removal